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Bruce Evans Nephi Sandstone Corporation P.O. Box 137 Nephi, Utah 84648

Re: Permit Review Status, Cedar Springs Mine, M/023/059, Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Evans:

On March 2, 2000, the Division received Nephi Sandstone Corporation's large mining plan for the Cedar Springs mine. Due to a backlog of other permit reviews, the Division has not been able to complete a review of this plan within the usual 30-day timeframe. We apologize for the delay and any inconvenience this may cause you.

We hope to complete our review of your application within the next 30 days. We appreciate your patience and understanding in this regard. Please contact me if you have questions or concerns with this proposed review schedule.

Sincerely,

Joelle Burns

Minerals Secretary

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